Michigan

1. Review of environmental statutes, lead-based paint

Mich. Comp. Laws § 333.12104 (1992).

Directs the Department of Health to make recommendations to the governor and legislature on several environmental health risks, including lead.

2. Lead Abatement Act

Mich. Comp. Laws §Â§ 333.5451 to 333.5477 (1998).

Requires certification for any person who is engaging in a lead based paint activity. There are five disciplines for which the department of health will certify a person, inspector, risk assessor, supervisor, project designer, and abatement worker. For all disciplines but project designer, a person must take a training course and receive a course completion certificate from an accredited training program, meet the experience or education requirements and pass a third party exam for the appropriate discipline. For project designers, they must complete an accredited training course and receive a certificate of completion and meet the experience or education requirements. To become certified a person must submit an application, and pay a fee.

Authorizes the department of health to promulgate rules to administer and enforce this act.

Requires the department to establish a program to educate those who would come in contact with lead including homeowners, remodelers and maintenance staff.

Requires that the department of health establish a Lead Poisoning Prevention Program that includes prevention of childhood lead poisoning educational and community outreach, and reporting of all blood lead level tests. If such a test exceeds 10 micrograms per deciliter the department must contact the local health department pr physician. Requires reporting of blood lead levels in children that exceed 10 micrograms per deciliter to the state legislature annually.

Requires the accreditation of training programs by the department of health. Provides fees for accreditation and re-accreditation.